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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6710
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA
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SUBJ: ETHIOPIA- SUDAN DISPUTE: SUDAN MEDIATION

REF: A. KHARTOUM 1361

1. SUDAN PRESS ANNOUNCED THIS MORNING PRESIDENT NIMARI WILL DEPART FOR ADDIS ABABA SATURDAY, JUNE 23, TO UNDERTAKE MEDIATION MISSION (REFTEL).
2. TEXT PRESIDENT GOWON LETTER (REFTEL) ALSO PUBLISHED WITH MAIN PORTIONS AS FOLLOW: " IN LIGHT DISTURBING MESSAGE I HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM... PRESIDENT SIAD... REGARDING THE IMPORTANT ASSIGNMENT GIVEN US... BY OAU, I AM HASTENING TO REQUEST IF YOU WILL KINDLY FIND IT POSSIBLE TO USE YOUR UNDOUBTED INFLUENCE AND FRIENDSHIP WITH IEM HAILE SELASSIE AND H. E. MAJ- GEN SIAD TO ESTABLISH CONTACTS WITH BOTH OF THEM AND TO APPEAL TO THEM TO CONTINUE TO EXERCISE UTMOST RESTRAINT IN ORDER TO ALLOW GOOD OFFICES (OF OUR COMMITTEE) TO PERFORM ITS FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES IN OVERALL INTEREST OF AFRICA... I HAVE ALREADY SENT IDENTIAL MESSAGES TO OUR TWO BROTHER HEADS OF STATES DIRECTLY CONCERNED ASKING THEM TO TAKE FULL ADVANTAGE YOUR
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GOOD OFFICES UNTIL SUCH TIME AS WE ARE ABLE TO MEET IN YOUR
CAPITAL CITY TO PLAN HOW BEST WE CAN FULFILL OUR OBLIGATIONS
TO OUR TWO SISTER COUNTRIES OF ETHIOPIA AND SOMALIA..... I AM
CONFIDENT BOTH AS PERSONAL FRIEND AND AS STATESMEN THAT
THERE IS NO BETTER MAN TO (UNDERTAKE THIS MISSION) TO SATIS-
FACTION OF PARTIES CONCERNED... AND THAT YOU WILL BE SUCCESSFUL
IN PREVENTING ANY DETERIORATION OF THE ETHIOPIA/ SOMALI SITUATION.
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